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SUBJECT:      Applicant:      Gelfand et al.  
                 Serial No:      10/784,807  
                 Filed:      February 24, 2004  
                 For:      METHOD AND CATHETER SYSTEM APPLICABLE TO  
                                 ACUTE RENAL FAILURE  
                 Group:      3762  
                 Docket No:      LE-218J

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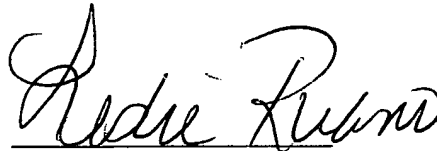
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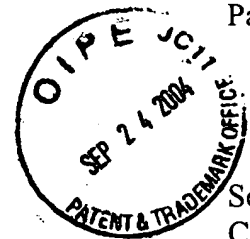
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Filing Date February 24, 2004

First Named Inventor Mark Gelfand

Group Art Unit 3762

Examiner Name

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Filing Date	February 24, 2004
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Title	Method and Catheter System Applicable
Art Unit	3762
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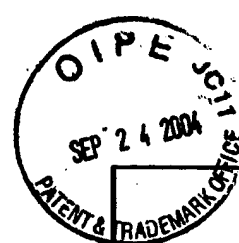
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### STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant/Patent Owner: Gelfand et al.

Application No./Patent No.: 10/784,807 Filed/Issue Date: February 24, 2004

Entitled: **METHOD AND CATHETER SYSTEM APPLICABLE TO ACUTE RENAL FAILURE**

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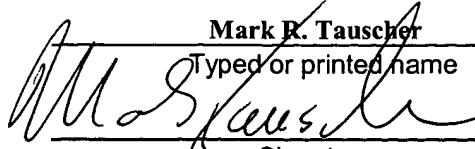
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